

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
AT KNOXVILLE

RENE SAMUEL KENDALL,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	No. 3:11-CV-388-PLR-CCS
	)	
SEVIER COUNTY, CITY OF PIGEON FORGE,	)	
RUSSELL PARKER, JACK BALDWIN, and	)	
GARY CAMPBELL, and	)	
MARIANA GUTIERREZ,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

**ORDER**

This case is before the undersigned pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636, the Rules of this Court, and the referral of the presiding District Judge. On September 8, 2014, the Court received Plaintiff's Application to Proceed In Forma Pauperis on Appeal [Doc. 118], which moves the Court to allow the Plaintiff to proceed *in forma pauperis* on appeal. The District Judge referred this motion to the undersigned shortly thereafter.

Pursuant to Rule 24 of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure:

[A] party to a district-court action who desires to appeal in forma pauperis must file a motion in the district court. The party must attach an affidavit that:

(A) shows in the detail prescribed by Form 4 of the Appendix of Forms the party's inability to pay or to give security for fees and costs;

(B) claims an entitlement to redress; and

(C) states the issues that the party intends to present on appeal.

Fed. R. App. P. 24(a)(1).

The Court has reviewed the Plaintiff's filings [Docs. 118, 119], and the Court finds that the Plaintiff has complied with Rule 24.<sup>1</sup> Based upon the foregoing, the Court finds that Plaintiff's request to proceed *in forma pauperis* on appeal [**Doc. 118**] is well-taken, and it is **GRANTED**. The Plaintiff will be permitted to proceed on appeal without prepayment of fees.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

ENTER:

s/ C. Clifford Shirley, Jr.  
United States Magistrate Judge

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<sup>1</sup> The instant decision is not a decision on whether Plaintiff's appeal is meritorious or timely, and it should not be interpreted as such.